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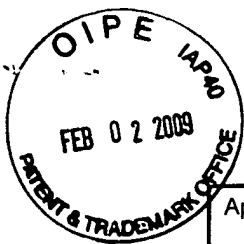
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This communication is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121) mailed January 13, 2009.

On September 18, 2008 Applicants submitted an Amendment. The Notice states that each claim has not been provided with a proper status identifier. Thus, Applicants hereby resubmit the listing of the claims to each include one of the status identifiers recognized by the USPTO. It is noted that the Listing of the Claims filed on September 18, 2008 contained recognized status identifiers and also included the term "allowable" for certain claims. It is believed that these identifiers fell under the acceptable category of variations of the status identifiers provided in 37 CFR 1.121(c) and were accurate and clear. (*See*, Memorandum, June 6, 2005, Joseph J. Rolla Deputy Commissioner for Patent Examination Policy, Subject: Acceptance of Certain Non-